

House Resolution No. 1826

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives of Show-Me State educators who contribute an exceptional amount of time and energy to ensuring that students obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners, involved citizens, and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Nancy Gingrich of Clarence, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as a kindergarten through twelfth-grade Gifted Education teacher for the Shelby County R-IV School District, a vocational calling that she will draw to a close on June 30, 2008, after more than twenty years of service; and

Whereas, Nancy Gingrich developed and maintained an excellent reputation in light of her additional activities with the Teachers Academy, High Performance Team, Accelerated Schools, Professional Development Committee, Community Teachers Association, Technology Committee, and Missouri Eisenhower Professional Development Project and for her receipt of Teacher Appreciation Awards from the Missouri Scholar Academy; and

Whereas, Nancy Gingrich brought to her Shelby County classroom a wealth of expertise garnered from earlier employment at South Shelby High School; Parkville High School in Baltimore, Maryland; Clarence Elementary School in Clarence, Missouri; and the Moberly Area Community College; and

Whereas, a member of Chapter M of PEO, Nancy Gingrich is the Missouri State President of PEO, the Chairman of the Educational Loan Fund of the International Chapter of POE, a member of Community Choir, and a Shelby County First Responder; and

Whereas, Nancy Gingrich is justifiably proud also to be known as the loving mother of Wendy and Bill Mueller, Marshall and Sheila Gingrich, and D. Paige and Travis Davenport and the wonderful grandmother of Ryan, Macy, Carson, Denver, and Lance; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse legislative actions in order to recognize such outstanding Missouri educators as Nancy Gingrich of Shelby, Missouri:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the personal and professional accomplishments garnered thus far in the life and career of Nancy Gingrich and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as she partakes of the special opportunities and pleasures traditionally associated with the golden years of retirement; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Nancy Gingrich of Clarence, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Tom Shively
District No. 8

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. ____, adopted _____, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker